IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA EASTERN DIVISION

| ROBERT DANIEL ALLEN, # 252342, |) | |
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| Petitioner, |) | |
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| V. |) | Civil Action No. 3:18cv635-ECM |
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| LEON BOLLING, et al., |) | |
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| Respondents. |) | |

RECOMMENDATION OF THE MAGISTRATE JUDGE

On July 11, 2018 (Doc. 2), this court entered an order that directed Petitioner, a state inmate at Kilby Correctional Facility, to either submit the \$5.00 filing fee by July 31, 2018, or file by that same date the appropriate affidavit in support of a motion for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* in this action for habeas corpus relief under 28 U.S.C. § 2254. Petitioner was specifically cautioned that his failure to comply with the court's July 11, 2018 order would result in a recommendation that his case be dismissed. Doc. 2 at 2.

The requisite time has passed, and Petitioner has filed nothing in response to the court's July 11, 2018 order. Consequently, the court concludes that dismissal of this case without prejudice is appropriate for Petitioner's failure to comply with the court's order. *See Moon v. Newsome*, 863 F.2d 835, 837 (11th Cir. 1989) (generally, where a litigant has been forewarned, dismissal for failure to obey a court order is not an abuse of discretion).

Accordingly, it is the RECOMMENDATION of the Magistrate Judge that this case be DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE for Petitioner's failure to comply with the order of this court.

It is further ORDERED that on or before September 11, 2018, Petitioner may file

objections to the Recommendation. Any objections filed must specifically identify the

findings in the Magistrate Judge's Recommendation to which he objects. Frivolous,

conclusive or general objections will not be considered by the District Court. Petitioner is

advised that this Recommendation is not a final order of the court; therefore, it is not

appealable.

Failure to file written objections to the proposed findings and recommendations in

the Magistrate Judge's report shall bar a party from a *de novo* determination by the District

Court of factual findings and legal issues covered in the report and shall "waive the right

to challenge on appeal the district court's order based on unobjected-to factual and legal

conclusions" except upon grounds of plain error if necessary in the interests of justice.

11TH Cir. R. 3-1; see Resolution Trust Co. v. Hallmark Builders, Inc., 996 F.2d 1144, 1149

(11th Cir. 1993); Henley v. Johnson, 885 F.2d 790, 794 (11th Cir. 1989).

DONE this 24th day of August, 2018.

/s/ Terry F. Moorer

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UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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